

EXHIBIT A

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APPLICANT: DEAN ENGELHARDT ET AL.

TITLE: HYBRIDIZATION ASSAY METHOD

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☒ REQUEST FOR CONTINUATION APPLICATION UNDER

☐ 37 C.F.R. §1.60 (WITH PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT,
AND SUPPORTING ATTACHMENTS)

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Anticipated Classification
of this Application:
Class _____ Subclass _____

Prior Application:
Exam'r: Dr. David B. Schmickel
Group Art Unit: 1814

Attorney's
Docket No.:
Enz-5
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Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231
BOX FWC (if under §1.62)

Sir:

This is a request for filing a X CONTINUATION DIVISIONAL
 CONTINUATION-IN-PART application under X 37 CFR §1.60
 37 CFR §1.62, of pending prior application Serial No. 07/548,348
filed on July 2, 1990 of Dean Engelhard et al. for
Inventor(s)

HYBRIDIZATION ASSAY METHOD
Title of Invention

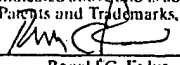
1. X Enclosed is a copy of the prior application, as originally
filed and an affidavit or declaration verifying it as a
true copy.
2. A verified statement to establish small entity status
under 37 CFR §1.9 and §1.27 is enclosed.
3. X The filing fee is calculated as follows:

CLAIMS AS FILED, LESS ANY CLAIMS CANCELLED BY AMENDMENT

CLAIMS AS FILED, LESS ANY CLAIMS CANCELLED BY AMENDMENT										
	Number Filed		Number Extra		RATE				FEE	
					Small Entity	Other Entity		Small Entity	Other Entity	
Total Claims	1	=	0	x	\$ 10	\$ 20	=	\$ 0	\$	
Independent Claims	1	=	0	x	\$ 36	\$ 72	=	\$ 0	\$	
Multiple Dependent Claims Presented: <u> </u> Yes <u>X</u> No					\$ 110	\$ 220		\$ 0	\$	
* If the difference in Col. 1 is less than zero, enter "0" in Col. 2						BASIC FEE		\$ 345	\$ 690	
						TOTAL FEE		\$ -	\$ 690	

4. X The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment
of the filing fee as well as the following fees associated
with this application or to credit any overpayment to
Deposit Account No. 05-1135.
A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- X Any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR §1.16.
- X Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR §1.17.

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EXPRESS MAIL CERTIFICATE	
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Deposit Date	September 30, 1992
I hereby certify that this paper and the attachments herein are being deposited with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 CFR 1.10 on the date indicated above and is addressed to the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Washington DC 20231	
 Ronald C. Fedus Reg. No. 32,567	9/30/92 Date

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5. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees during the pendency of this application or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 05-1135. A **duplicate** copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- ☒ Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR §1.17.
- ☐ The issue fee set in 37 CFR §1.18 at or before mailing of the Notice of Allowance, pursuant to 37 CFR §1.311(b).
- ☒ Any filing fees under 37 CFR §1.16 for presentation of extra claims.
6. ☐ A check in the amount of \$_____ is enclosed.
7. ☐ Cancel claims 204-239 (as set forth in the Preliminary Amendment filed in Serial No. 07/548,348).
8. ☒ Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence: -- This is a ☒ continuation, ☐ divisional ☐ continuation-in-part, of application Serial No. 07/548,348, filed on July 2, 1990, which is a divisional of 07/140,980, filed on January 5, 1988, abandoned, which was a continuation of Serial No. 06/674,352, filed on November 21, 1984, abandoned, which was a continuation of Serial No. 06/391,440, filed on June 23, 1982, abandoned. --
9. ☒ Transfer the drawings from the prior application.
10. ☐ Informal ☐ Formal ☐ drawings are enclosed.
11. ☐ Abandon said prior application as of the filing date accorded this application. A **duplicate** copy of this sheet is enclosed for filing in the prior application file.
12. ☐ Priority of application Serial No. _____ filed on _____ is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119. _____ The certified copy of the priority application has been filed in prior application Serial No. _____, filed _____.
13. ☒ The prior application is assigned of record to Enzo Diagnostics, Inc. [A copy of the Assignment and the Notice of Recordation are enclosed herewith.]
14. ☒ A preliminary amendment is enclosed.

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15. X The substitute power of attorney in the prior application is to: Serle I. Mosoff, Reg. No. 25,900; Elaine P. Brenner, Reg. No. 29,517; and Ronald C. Fedus, Reg. No. 32,567.
- (a) X The power appears in the original papers in the prior application.
- (b) Since the power does not appear in the original papers, a copy of the power in the prior application is enclosed.
- (c) X A copy of a new substitute power of attorney is enclosed (the power having been submitted with the Request for Extension of Time concurrently filed in Serial No. 07/548,348).
- (d) X Address all future communications to: (May only be completed by applicant, or attorney or agent of record.)

Ronald C. Fedus, Esq.
Enzo Biochem, Inc.
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Farmingdale, New York 11735


16. X Also enclosed is a Request for a One-Month Extension of Time in the prior application (with Substitute Power of Attorney).
17. X I hereby verify that the attached papers are a true copy of prior application Serial No. 07,548,348 as originally filed on July 2, 1990.
18. X Applicants filed a response on June 18, 1992 to the final Office Action mailed on June 3, 1992. On July 1, 1992, the Examiner issued an Advisory Action. With the Request For a One Month Extension of Time described in Item 16 above, this Request for a Continuation Application Under 37 C.F.R. §1.60 is being filed during the pendency of the prior application.

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The undersigned declares further that all statements made herein of his own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

September 30, 1992
Date


Signature [Ronald C. Fedus]
Registration No. 32,567
☐ Inventor(s)
☐ Assignee of Complete
Interest
☒ Attorney or Agent of Record
☐ Filed under 37 CFR §1.34(a)

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